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Inventor(s)

James T. LAGROTTA et al.

Group Art Unit

2642

Examiner Name

Marie C. Ubiles

Attorney Docket Number

29250-002151/US

### ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

Fee Transmittal Form

Fee Attached

Amendment

After Final

Affidavits/declaration(s)

Extension of Time Request

Express Abandonment Request

Information Disclosure Statement

Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)

Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application

Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53

Assignment Papers  
(for an Application)

Letter to the Official Draftsperson and  
\_\_\_\_ Sheets of Formal Drawing(s)

Licensing-related Papers

Petition

Petition to Convert to a  
Provisional Application

Power of Attorney, Revocation  
Change of Correspondence Address

Terminal Disclaimer

Request for Refund

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Remarks

After Allowance Communication to  
Group

LETTER SUBMITTING APPEAL  
BRIEF AND APPEAL BRIEF (w/clean  
version of pending claims)

Appeal Communication to Group  
(Notice of Appeal, Brief, Reply Brief)

Proprietary Information

Status Letter

Other Enclosure(s)  
(please identify below):

Request for Reconsideration

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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/919,020

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Applicant: James T. LaGrotta et al.

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Title: USE OF OVER-THE-AIR OPTICAL LINK WITHIN A  
GEOGRAPHICALLY DISTRIBUTED BASE STATION

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October 7, 2005

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of the Final Office Action dated August 11, 2005, ("Final Office Action") and respond as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.